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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated June 10, 2002, thereby extending the time period within which to respond to December 10, 2002.

In response to the Office Action mailed June 10, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**In The Claims**

Please replace claims 14, 24-25, 28, and 32, and add new claim 36 as shown below. A marked up version of the amended claims is attached to this Amendment.

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